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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	Confirmation No.: 6768
Gary K. Michelson	)	
Serial No.: 10/085,406	)	Group Art Unit: 3732
Filed: March 1, 2002	)	Examiner: M. Priddy
For: ARCUATE DYNAMIC LORDOTIC	)	
GUARD WITH MOVABLE	)	
EXTENSIONS FOR CREATING AN	)	
IMPLANTATION SPACE	)	
POSTERIORLY IN THE	)	
LUMBAR SPINE (as amended)	)	

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Sir:

**AMENDMENT**

In reply to the Office Action dated May 4, 2004, please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 14 of this paper.

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